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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 23, 2004, Applicants elect Group I, Claims 1-14 and 20-24 without traverse.

Applicants also amend this application by canceling claims 15-19, as shown below. Applicants respectfully request that this amendment be entered. No new matter has been added by the amendment.